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Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136**

A one (1) month extension of time from, March 6, 2001, up to and including April 6, 2001, is requested to respond to the Office Action mailed December 6, 2000 (Paper No. 11). A check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed in view of the small entity status of the application.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments which may be required to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

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